

FAIRFAX COUNTY, VIRGINIA

MEMORANDUM

TO: Health Care Advisory Board

FROM: John Ruthinoski
Staff Coordinator

SUBJECT: Meeting Notice and Agenda

**Monday, January 13, 2003
at 7:30 p.m.
Fairfax County Government Center
12000 Government Center Parkway
Board Auditorium
Fairfax, Virginia**

AGENDA

1. Call to order
2. Approval of the minutes of the November 6, 2002 HCAB meeting (Attachment 1)
3. Public Hearing on Zoning Application of McLean Bible Church Trustees for the construction of a medical care facility for children of special needs (SE 01-D-032). (Attachments 2a-b)
4. Other Business

BACKGROUND

McLean Bible Church Zoning Application

The Mclean Bible Church (MBC) is a non-denominational church that purchased the National Wildlife Federation's former headquarters building near Tyson's Corner in 1998 and converted it into an interim 1,100 seat auditorium which opened in 2000. Plans are underway to construct a 2,400 seat auditorium at the same site along with a 2,500 car parking garage. MBC also operates a 900 seat auditorium at a facility on Balls Hill Road. There has been considerable community opposition to this project.

McLean Bible Church is proposing to construct a 47,000 square foot Special Needs

Center on its Route 7 campus. This facility will include a 70-bed medical care facility for children with special needs. Services provided at the facility will include overnight, after school, and weekend respite care for children with special needs (which they describe as such diagnoses as Down 's syndrome, cerebral palsey, seizure disorders and autism.) The center will be staffed with nurses, LPN's and volunteers to care for the children during the overnight hours. In addition, before and after school thereapy sessions will be provided along with an "early-intervention" type program.

Other Business

All HCAB members are reminded to return the financial disclosure forms they received from the Office of the Clerk to the Board.